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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Serial Number:)	Examiner: Patel, Nihir B
Filed: 03/05/02)	
For: Intra-Aortic Balloon Catheter)	Group Art Unit: 3743
Having A Releasable Wire)	Conf. No. 6725
)	Dated: October 3, 2003
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Sir:

Applicant elects prosecution on the Group 1 claims, which include claims 1 – 17.

Dated: October 3, 2003.

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